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Memorandum to Files

From: Bob Elderkin

Subject: Tract U-a/U-b Inspection - Environmental

Personnel Present:

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ACTIVITIES:

Environmental: Nearly all of the drilling is done along the new road. A little remains on south end. All slopes too steep for tractor will have been hydro-mulched by the end of today. The crew has started putting tubeling; small holes are being drilled with a gas auger for the tubeling. The crew expected to finish the tubeling next week if the weather doesn't stop them. The contract was for 10 acres to be re-claimed.

No revegetation has been done yet on the county portion of the road.

The road to the alluvial wells appeared completed from the air, we did not drive down it.

The bridge spans are in with decking on the south 1/3 over the river.

Excavation of topsoil like material is going well in the detention dam pool area. They are getting a lot of material here with present cuts of over 20'.

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